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C O N F I D E N T I A L GENEVA 3780

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: CSCE - MEDITERRANEAN ISSUE

REF: A) STATE 125466 NOTAL; B) GENEVA 3181;

C) GENEVA 3188; AND D) GENEVA 3408

1. AT COORDINATING COMMITTEE MEETING MORNING OF JUNE 13,  
PRIOR TO SCHEDULED NATO CAUCUS, IALIAN DELEGATION  
ANNOUNCED INTENTION TO CIRCULATE DRAFT TEXT OF SEPARATE  
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MEDITERRANEAN DECLARATION (ALREADY SUBMITTED TO SECRETARIAT)

AND OUTLINED CONTENTS AND RATIONALE OF PROPOSAL.

PROPOSAL WAS SECONDED WARMLY BY FRANCE, BRIEFLY BY GREECE, TURKEY AND SWITZERLAND, AND EFFUSIVELY BY NON-NATO MEDITERRANEAN COUNTRIES. AS WE ANTICIPATED, SPAIN, CYPRUS, YUGOSLAVIA AND MALTA MENTIONED POSSIBLE ADDITIONS TO TEXT OF ITALIAN SEPARATE DECLARATION, AS WELL AS ADDITIONAL SUBMISSIONS FOR INTRODUCTION INTO SUBCOMMITTEE DOCUMENTS. MOST OF THESE COUNTRIES ALSO PREDICTABLY REOPENED QUESTION OF A "CONTINUING CSCE DIALOGUE" WITH NON-PARTICIPATING MEDITERRANEAN STATES.

2. ITALIANS HAD RECEIVED WORD FROM EC-NINE PRESIDENCY THAT US HAD LIFTED ITS RESERVE ON TABLING OF THIS PROPOSAL. WHILE STATE 125466 INDICATES WE HAVE AGREED TO TABLING OF A DRAFT DECLARATION, WE MAY STILL HAVE PROBLEM OF DEALING WITH SUBSTANCE OF DRAFT SEPARATE DECLARATION AND ANY OTHER DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED, IF DEPARTMENT WISHES DELEGATION TO WORK ON IMPROVING LANGUAGE, SUCH AS THAT CONCERNING SECURITY AND DETENTE IN THE MEDITERRANEAN MENTIONED IN PARA 3 OF GENEVA 3181. PREAMBULAR AND OPERATIVE PHRASEOLOGY ON SECURITY, TAKEN TOGETHER, COULD BE INTERPRETED AS OPENING THE DOOR TO EXTENSION OF CBMS TO THE MEDITERRANEAN.

3. REQUEST INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING EXTENT TO WHICH DELEGATION SHOULD MONITOR AND SEEK TO OBTAIN CHANGES IN LANGUAGE REFERRING TO MEDITERRANEAN SECURITY AND TO POSSIBLE EUROPEAN-ARAB FOCUS IN ECONOMIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL COOPERATION.DALE

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